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MEMORANDUM FOR: CIA Librarian *gm* *PA*  
SUBJECT: Proposal to Publish Reference Aid

1. Attached hereto is a mock-up of a proposed reference aid, "Chinese Communist Newspapers Held in the CIA Library Acquisitions Branch 1950-1963". In March of this year we issued a companion publication, CIA/CR 49, on Chicom journals. It is requested that this draft be approved for publication.

2. In view of the fact that Chicom serials are maintained in the Branch and serviced here, it is my opinion that the proposed reference aid on Chicom newspapers will be of assistance to Agency and community researchers who utilize the Chicom press. Mr. [ ] can give you his views, which I believe parallel mine, on the value of such a publication to Reference and elsewhere.

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Chief, Acquisitions Branch

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